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ELBA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3rd 1925.

Stage All Set For Hog And Poultry Shows Next Week; Premiums Cash

Everything has been thoroughly mapped out for the hog, poultry and school fairs to be held in the county next week. The first two days the 8th and 9th the exhibits will be shown at Enterprise, and then on Thursday and Friday, the 10th and 11th, the exhibits will be in Elba. On Friday all the schools of the county will be at Elba to take part in the big parade and view the exhibits. Every person in Coffee county should visit Enterprise or Elba on one of these days and see what Club boys and girls are doing in the way of getting the old county "back in the right rut." It may seem a small matter, but great progress is being made through this very channel, for the uplift of the county. Nice premium lists have been arranged, and these premiums will be paid in cash. We publish below a list of the premiums in the hog and poultry shows. A nice premium list has also been arranged for school exhibits.

Junior Club.

All pigs entered must have been farrowed in 1925.
1st prize, \$15.00.
2nd, prize, \$14.00.
3rd, prize, \$13.00.
4th, prize, \$12.00.
5th, prize, \$11.00.
6th, prize, \$10.00.
7th to 20th, each, \$ 5.00.
Provided the judges consider the exhibits creditable.

Senior Club.

Only members of 1924 Pig Club will be allowed to exhibit in this class.
1st sow and pigs, \$15.00.
2nd sow and pigs, \$12.50.
3rd sow and pigs, \$10.00.
All pigs must be under 10 weeks old and must have at least 5 pigs in each litter.
Best sow and pigs (pigs any age), \$10.00.
2nd, \$5.00.
3rd, \$2.50.

Adult Dept.

Open to everybody. Pig Club Members and Adults.
1st sow, \$15.00.
2nd sow, \$10.00.
3rd sow, \$5.00.
1st sow, \$15.00.
2nd sow, \$10.00.
3rd sow, \$5.00.
Best pair barrows, \$5.00.
2nd pair barrows, \$3.00.

MANY CHURCHES BEING VISITED BY BAPTISTS.

Throughout this week four teams of three workers each are visiting the Baptist churches of Coffee County in the interest of the work at large. Splendid programs are being rendered and it is hoped much good will result from the efforts thus put forth.

Poultry Premiums.

GENERAL PURPOSE CLASS—Most common breeds are: Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, Rhode Island Reds—
Best old hen, \$5.00.
Best young hen, \$3.00.
Best old pair, \$2.00.
Best young pair, \$2.00.
Best pullet, \$1.00.
Best cock, \$1.00.
Best cockerel, \$1.00.

MEAT CLASS—Most common breeds are: Brahmas, Cochins, Langshams, Orpingtons.
Best old hen, \$5.00.
Best young hen, \$3.00.
Best old pair, \$2.00.
Best young pair, \$2.00.
Best pullet, \$1.00.
Best cock, \$1.00.
Best cockerel, \$1.00.

EGG CLASS—Most common breeds are: Leghorns, Anconas, Minorcas, Blue Andalusians—
Best old hen, \$5.00.
Best young hen, \$3.00.
Best old pair, \$2.00.
Best young pair, \$2.00.
Best pullet, \$1.00.
Best cock, \$1.00.
Best cockerel, \$1.00.
Best pair of any class or breed, \$3.00.
Best hen of any class or breed, \$1.00.
Best pullet of any class or breed, \$1.00.
Best cock of any class or breed, \$1.00.
Best cockerel of any class or breed, \$1.00.

Turkeys

Best pair Turkey Hens, \$5.00.
Best pair Gobblers, \$5.00.

Beginning Saturday, Dec. 5th

THE ELBA

CANDY KITCHEN

will be open for business. Candies will be made fresh daily. Guaranteed to pass all Pure Food Laws.
CHRISTMAS ORDERS will be booked immediately.
Your Patronage Solicited
Opposite Postoffice.

Coffee County Poor Houses

"The Poor You Have With You Always."

(By J. A. Carnley)

(Continued from last week.)
The County's Charge And Care Of The Poor.

Besides the happy arrangements made for caring for the inmates of the Poor House, in charge of Mr. Isaac W. Fleming, the sessions of the Court of County Commissioners gave increased attention to individuals in the County not living at the poor house. Dr. Wm. F. Johnson was paid nine dollars for services rendered as a physician to Henry Lee, "an indigent sick person." This was in February, 1861. At a later term, in April of the same year, Wm. F. Beard & Co., was paid out of the County treasury four dollars for "the shrouding of Henry Lee, who died without any means to pay the same." The former term of the Court William Thomas was paid \$57.50 for "boarding Wm. Thomas, an old soldier." In May, 1861, the Court paid to Isaac W. Fleming, keeper of the poor house \$55.00 for feeding and making clothes for paupers. At this term a very singular action was taken by the Court that of deporting one Hiram Ball by paying him \$7. for the purpose of aiding him to leave the County, (and that he shall no more become a county charge, etc.) Mr. A. M. Jordan was paid \$9.60 for articles furnished the paupers now in the poor house of said county.

Charitable To Prisoners.

The county prisoners also received of the County's charity. On May 8, 1861, the County paid James M. Adkison the sum of \$3.00 for turkey, and washing for prisoners." Burrell Clark in Feb., 1861 was paid \$1.00 for guarding A. J. Stark met first with the Com. Holmes, and Edmond Simpson's Court, he having been recently elected to succeed Judge P. D. Costello, the soldier now.

(To be continued.)

NOTICE BAPTISTS.

Baptists take notice: Next Sunday afternoon committees will visit our membership for subscriptions for both the local and denominational budgets, and we want to ask the membership to arrange to be at home until the committee shall have called and secured the pledges. A great deal of time can be saved by so doing, and we feel all will thus help in this work.

BAPTIST W. M. U. TO SELL BARBECUE DEC. 11TH.

Members of the W. M. U. of the Baptist Church will sell barbecue at the school house on next Friday, December 11. All are invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Colquitt, of Opp, visited Mr. and Mrs. Buren Helms of Elba Sunday.

Send your Kodak Films to Edwin Heath, Box 42, Elba, Alabama.

Mrs. Ira Hutchison and children of Chipley, Fla., are visiting relatives in Elba.

Mr. Claude Clark, of Andalusia, was here Saturday greeting friends.

Mr. Chester Benton of Opp, was a visitor in Elba Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Vann and Miss Joy Cosby spent Thursday and Friday in Troy.

FOR SALE.

One 80 H. P. Buick, 50 H. P. Buick, 94 Berlin Planer, all in fine running shape; also 3 yoke road oxen.
A. C. Brinson, Elba, Ala.

MRS. BULLARD ENTER- TAINS W. M. S.

The three Circles of the Baptist W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. W. J. Bullard on Monday afternoon, the Hattie Conner Circle being the hostess Circle.

A very interesting program on "Children of Other Lands" was given by ladies from each Circle. Misses Annie Laurie and Hattie Mae Bullard concluded the program by singing the lovely Christmas Carol "Silent Night." The hostess served delicious pound cake and hot coffee.

METHODIST LADIES WILL HAVE BAZAAR AND RUMMAGE SALE.

The ladies of the Methodist church will have a Bazaar at Miss Debata Blocker's Store on next Wednesday, Dec. 9th. Sandwiches, coffee and candy will be served.
On next Thursday and Friday, December 10th and 11th, the ladies will have a rummage sale on the square. They will also sell barbecue. Everyone invited.

MUSIC RECITAL AT CHEST- NUT GROVE.

There will be a Music recital given by the McKinnon Music Co., of Troy at Chestnut Grove on Saturday night, Dec. 5th at 8:00 o'clock.

These musicians are well known and many will be glad of the opportunity of hearing them again. Proceeds will go to Church improvement work.

Misses Henrietta Coston, Eva Lee and Eloise Ham spent last week end in Montgomery.

Mr. W. H. Morrow, of Opp, was a business visitor at Elba Monday.

Mr. John Garrett, student at the A. P. L., Auburn, spent a few days at home last week.

Send your Kodak Films to Alabama.
Edwin Heath, Box 42, Elba.

Mrs. Saph Blue and children of Montgomery visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Lee, of Montgomery, spent the week with relatives in Elba.

Mrs. Fred Harper spent a few days last week in Dothan guest of her parents.

Miss Francis Mitchell spent last week end in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bonneau and children spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Greenville.

Judge M. S. Carmichael, of attendants at court here this week.

Judge Mike Sollo, of Ozark, was in attendance at Court in Elba the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Edwards were called to Union Springs last week on account of the illness of Mr. Edwards' father.

Miss Margaret Garrett, who teaches in Troy, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents at Elba.

Mrs. Ruth Stone has returned from Andalusia and will make Elba her home now to the delight of her many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitman and children and Miss Evelyn Conner spent Thanksgiving in Chipley, Fla., guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Whitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Harner, who have been residing at Corona, Ala., for some time have returned to Elba to live. He will be connected with the Sanitary market. Their many friends will give them a cordial welcome back home.

Criminal Docket Being Heard This Week; Case of Harris Up Wednesday

The criminal cases on the circuit court docket are being called for trial in circuit court here this week. Judge Bedsole, who presided over the court last week, is presiding this week. As this is being written, Wednesday afternoon, the court is hearing the case of William Harris, who is being tried on a charge of murder in connection with the death of his daughter's infant.
Following is a list of the jurors for the week:

Lambert, Perry L.
French, C. E.
Blair, Elbert G.
Paul, W. Brice.
Johnson, G. Tom.
Moore, J. W. (Buddie)
Bedsole, B. Monroe.
Grimes, J. Will.
Russell, Sam L.
Dean, Henry W.
Meek, Cary J. Jr.
Jackson, James H.
Smart, Charles S.
Wilkinson, Lee W.
Wise, J. Allen.
Phillips, Jack E.
Parrish, William E.
Cannon, Robert E.
Medlock, Thomas.
Wise, A. B.
Rowell, J. C.
King, Alto.
Dawkins, J. Monroe.
Mack, W. Allen.
Rushing, John M.
Vaughn, John T.
Thames, John A.
Ham, W. J. (Buddie)
Brown, Lige.
Mason, George T.
Dyess, Oscar E.
Clark, J. Gardner.
Wilson, Willis.
Stephens, Onie.
Tillman, Ed.

Mrs. F. J. Mizell and children, of Samson, were guests of Mrs. W. P. Boyd last Thursday.

Mrs. T. T. Rhodes is spending a few days in Montgomery this week.

Mrs. W. A. Kelley spent Sunday with relatives in Cottonwood, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Rainer, and children, of Ozark, were guests of Elba relatives last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. McKinnon and children, of Union Springs, were guests of Elba relatives last week.

Miss Annie Rhea Symonds of Marianna, Fla., visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mrs. Eva Bowden and son, William Sanders, of Auburn, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with friends in Elba.

Mr. D. M. Vaughn, who has been making Panama City his home, is spending a few days with his family at Elba.

Mrs. J. O. Rowe and little son, of Montgomery, spent several days here last week visiting relatives.

Mrs. O. S. Rainer and children, of Arlton, were guests of Elba relatives the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cooper spent a few days in Columbus, Ga., last week, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Butler.

Mr. Frank Buck, of Tampa, Fla., visited his mother, Mrs. E. M. Buck, and sister, Mrs. Tom Tatum here Sunday.

Mr. Y. W. Rainer and Miss Sydney Rainer were visitors at Troy Saturday, having gone to attend the funeral of Mrs. George Rainer.

DECEMBER

Our Annual Reduction Sale Began Wednesday

All Velvet and Felt Hats Going
AT HALF PRICE
Also big reductions on Dresses,
Sweaters, Coats, etc. See
ours before buying.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the good people of Victoria for their assistance during the sickness of our dear husband and father. We thank Drs. Hayes, Folson and Beard and the nurses of the Masonic Hospital of Troy. We also wish to thank the ladies of Troy and Victoria for their beautiful flowers. Their kindness will ever be remembered. May God's blessings rest upon you all is our prayer.

Mrs. J. N. Fowler and children.

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You can always tell Dutchess Trousers when you see them—their "Warranty" is on the left hip pocket.

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THANKSGIVING SERVICES AT CURTIS.

Thanksgiving was a great day at Curtis. The people gathered in the hundreds, representing the entire community. Then there were a good many visitors from Elba and elsewhere.

In the afternoon Dr. W. C. Braswell delivered a most splendid patriotic and Thanksgiving address in which he reviewed the history of our country, showing God's providential care over us, our wonderful achievements, our dangers and difficulties, our prospects and hopes, etc.

This was followed by the Thanksgiving sermon, delivered by Bro. Grider in his pleasing manner, which provoked thought, praise and thanksgiving in every heart present.

These services were interspersed with good songs, well rendered, consisting of congregational and quartet songs, well selected for the hour.

And then the noon hour—All enjoyed that too! What fine cooks they are! An old time turkey dinner, with all the trimmings, was served. The ladies of Troy and Victoria, and the nurses of the Masonic Hospital of Troy, were also present. We thank Drs. Hayes, Folson and Beard and the nurses of the Masonic Hospital of Troy. We also wish to thank the ladies of Troy and Victoria for their beautiful flowers. Their kindness will ever be remembered. May God's blessings rest upon you all is our prayer.

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Registrar's NOTICE

In accordance with the provisions of the Registration Laws of Alabama, the Board of Registrars of Coffee County, Alabama, will attend at the following named places from 7:30 A. M. to 3:00 P. M., on the dates given during the year 1926, for the purpose of registering all persons who are eligible for registration:

Beat 18—Kinston	January 4th.
Beat 1—Perry's Store	January 5th.
Beat 20—New Home Church	January 6th.
Beat 2—Curtis	January 7th.
Beat 19—Pine Level	January 8th.
Beat 3—Ham School House	January 11th.
Beat 4—Newbia School House	January 12th.
Beat 5—Lewis' Mill	January 13th.
Beat 13—Double Heads	January 14th.
Beat 22—Wise's Mill	January 15th.
Beat 17—Enterprise	January 18, 19, 20, 21, 22.
Beat 6—Elba	January 23, 25, 26, 27, 28.
Beat 9—New Election	January 29 and 30th.
Beat 21—Voting Place	February 1st.
Beat 10—Victoria	February 2nd.
Beat 11—Prestwood's Store	February 3rd.
Beat 12—Tabernacle	February 4th.
Beat 13—Hay Ridge	February 5th.
Beat 8—Central City	February 8th.
Beat 7—Goodman	February 9th.
Beat 16—Stephen's Store	February 10th.
Beat 14—Wise's Store	February 11th.
Beat 23—Levee	February 12th.
Beat 17—Enterprise	February 13, 15, 16 and 17th.
Beat 6—Elba	February 18, 19, 20 and 22nd.

Under the provisions of the Registration Laws, no person can be registered except in the precinct of his or her residence, or at the Court House at Elba or Enterprise. All parties interested will please meet the Board promptly on the dates named above.

H. C. Stephenson,
W. M. Tucker,
Henry Watson,
Board of Registrars, Coffee County.

FROM CURTIS.

Dere Folks an Ladies and Gen-
lemen—
Well! Its Come! We been a
lookin' for it a long time an
now its here.

Nex' Friday nite thay gonna
let us go tew, the "Ye Olde
Tyme Skewl." an' I'm shore
tickle! I seen Mr. Curtis in
his nee pants tother nite, and
my sides hurs yet—an' I herd
sompin' new! Miss Kayron has
th' rich and says sampin' about
different heads havin' differ-
ent things on them!

Oh! its fun, b esure tew cum.
I'm gonna look Meer you there!
an they ain't gonna charge
much neither.

I cant wate till I see you!
Lovinly—The Little Boy.

Master Eltha Williams arriv-
ed at Curtis this week to be in
charge of "Ye Olde Tyme
Skewl."

Deacon Josiah Partridge and
wife are in Curtis to visit "Ye
Olde Tyme Skewl."

Mr. Zebedee Von Pelt, and
Hezikah Shooks will arrive
Friday morning to visit "Ye
Olde Tyme Skewl."

Mrs. Parsons and Mrs. Peter-
kins were in Elba this week
shopping. They bought new
hats to wear to "Ye Olde Tyme
Skewl."

What? Skewl!
Where? "Curtis!"
When? "Friday nite Dec. 4."
Who will be there?
"EVERYBODY!"

METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching, 11:30 a. m.
Preaching, 7:00 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday
7:15 p. m.

You are not a stranger here.
This is a HOME CHURCH.
F. M. LOWREY, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ford
and daughter, Miss Catherine
of Dothan, were guests of re-
latives here the latter part
of last week.

**BOX SUPPER AND PLAY AT
FAIRVIEW.**

There will be a box supper
and play at Fairview Baptist
church on Saturday night, Dec.
12th. The public is invited to
attend these exercises.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday School: 9:45 A. M.
W. F. Cooper, Supt.
Preaching: 11:30 A. M. and
7:00 P. M.
B. Y. P. U.—Sunday, 6:00 P.
M. Miss Carrie Vaughn, Supt.
Women's Missionary Socy—
Monday, 3:30 P. M. Mrs. Os-
well Dowling, Pres.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday,
7:30 P. M.
Sunbeams—Saturday, 3:00
P. M. Mrs. Willie Ben Lee,
Leader.

G. A. S.—Wednesday, 3:30 P.
M. Mrs. Ernest Freeman,
Leader.

R. A. S.—Friday, 7:00 P. M.
Ralph Yates, Leader.

Y. W. A. S.—Friday, 4:00 P.
M. Miss Mabel Brunson,
Leader.

Deacons Meeting—7:00 P. M.,
the last Monday in each
month, W. F. Cooper, Chair-
man.

T. C. Mahan, Pastor.

NOTICE OF SALE.

By authority of a decree of the
Circuit Court in Equity, of Coffee
County, Alabama, in the case of
Douglas Lynch Complainant vs. Mrs.
Appia Lynch, Respondent, rendered
December 2, 1925, the undersigned
as Register of said Court will, on the
17th day of December, 1925, within
lawful hours of sale, offer for sale
for cash to the highest bidder, the
house and lot in Elba, Coffee Coun-
ty, Alabama, known as the R. D.
Lynch homestead at the time of his
death, described as follows: Begin-
ning at the Northwest corner of Dr.
W. C. Braxwell's present homestead
lot, and running Southeast to the
Beaver Dam Creek thence in a
Northwesterly direction with the
creek to South margin of street lead-
ing to railroad station, and thence
East along street margin to point
of beginning. Sale to be subject to
confirmation by the Court.
This Dec. 2nd 1925.
J. W. English, Register.

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ments. Anyone can own a Radio on the lib-
eral terms we offer. Let us explain them
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DO YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR FARM?

SEE US AT ONCE

We are in the Real Estate business and have
a man who puts all his time on this one job. We
advertise your farm all over Alabama and in
some sections of the North. If it is too large we
will sell it and help you to buy a small one. If
it is too large we will sell all of it for you or a
part of it. See us or write us at once as the time
is short in which to make these sales. We sell on
a commission and there is no expense to you
unless we make the sale.

See either Ben Brunson or Will Brunson at
the office of Will Brunson.

BRUNSON & COMPANY REAL ESTATE AGENTS

BOX SUPPER AT ZOAR.

There will be a Box Supper
and Candy drawing at Zoar
School house, Friday night,
Dec. 4. Everybody is invited
to come. The proceeds will go
for the benefit of the school.

The Teacher.

Miss Ethel Sheeley, who is
teaching near Headland, spent
several days here last week
with her mother.

In 1924 there were 12,593
forest fires in Alabama which
burned over 7,461,520 acres,
causing losses of over \$7,000,
000.

Professional ball players
have caught balls thrown from
Washington Monument, which
is 555 feet high.

Rent Notes at Clipper office.

Benson Hardware Co.

For your requirements in Machine Shop and
Foundry Work; Tin and Composition Roofs, ap-
plied; Blow Pipe and Sheet Metal Work of all kinds;
Plumbing Materials furnished and installed; Steam,
Hot Water or Warm Air Heat for your home; Elec-
trical Work. All done by first class workmen.

Mill Supplies. Belling, etc. Galvanized Iron,
Paper Roofs and Shingles, Gas Engines, Grist Mills,
and Wind Mills.

Certain species of snakes are
capable of climbing the rough-
est barked trees.

Mr. R. A. King, of Opp,
spent Saturday and Sunday in
Elba with relatives and friends.

FOR
Advertising That Pays
Try
The Elba Clipper

VOLUME XXIX.

Farmers of Coffee Do \$480,480 Co-Operative Business During 1925

The congress of the United
States encourages farmers to
co-operate for self-help, in-
stead of asking alms at the
hands of their government.
The amount of dollars and
cents co-operation practiced by
Coffee County farmers during
1925 is given below.

Co-Operative Sales And Purchase.

2500 bales cotton, \$250,000.00.
7000 tons soda, acid and pot-
ash, \$220,000.00.
34,000 lb vetch seed bought, \$3,400.00.
2000 bushels cotton seed for
planting, \$8,000.00.
110 hogs sold for breeding, \$2,200.00.
10 tons calcium arsenate
bought, \$1,600.00.
4000 lb tankage (feed) \$180.00
1000 lbs Pyrotol (Explosives), \$100.00.
Total, \$480,480.00.

In 1924, Coffee County farm-
ers bought and sold co-opera-
tively approximately \$225-
000.00 worth of commodities.
In 1925 practically a half mil-
lion dollar business was trans-
acted and their goal for 1926
is a round million.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching, 11:30 a. m.
Preaching, 7:00 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday
7:15 p. m.

You are not a stranger here.
This is a HOME CHURCH.
F. M. LOWREY, Pastor.

4th GOOD GREEN COFFEE \$1.00.

Miss Eltha Talbot, of Dothan
is visiting her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. C. R. Talbot.

FOR SALE—one good, 1-ton
Ford truck, at a bargain.
W. B. RAINIER, Elba, Ala.

Mr. J. W. Cosby and Miss
Joy Cosby visited relatives at
Spring Hill Saturday.

**JOHN B. STETSON HATS
TO FIT YOU.**
MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

Mr. R. L. Cooper has re-
turned from Montgomery where he
went for medical treatment.
His many friends will be glad
to know that he is much improv-
ed.

**4 BIG 13 OZ SIZE HUDSON
POTASH FOR 25c.**
MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

FOR SALE.
One 80 H. P. Boiler, 50 H. P.
Engine, 94 Berlin Planer, all in
fine running shape; also 3
yoke good oxen.
A. C. Brunson, Elba, Ala.

LOST—Monday morning in
front of Wiley Blair's store, a
number of articles of clothing,
also some bed sheets. Person
who picked them up please re-
turn to Mrs. H. Larkins, West
Elba.

**17th AMERICAN GRANU-
LATED SUGAR, \$1.00**
MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

FROM PLEASANT RIDGE.

There will be no preaching
at Pleasant Ridge on the sec-
ond Saturday and Sunday in
December, according to an-
nouncement which we are re-
quested to make. Elder J. J.
Richards has agreed to serve
this church for next year and
will preach on the second Sat-
urday and Sunday in January.
All are invited to attend.

Fireless cookers save time
and money.

THE ELBA CLIPPER

ELBA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10TH, 1925.

FOR
Latest News of Interest
Read
The Elba Clipper

NUMBER 25.

GRAND JURY RETURNS 30 INDICTMENTS; FULL RE- PORT GIVEN.

Thirty indictments were re-
turned by the grand jury here
last week, which was in session
for several days. The body
had some trouble in getting
witnesses before them, accord-
ing to the report and their la-
bors were hindered. The re-
port follows:

To Honorable T. J. Bedsole,
Judge Presiding of said
Court:

We, the Grand Jury, empan-
elled by your Honor, beg leave
to report as follows:
There having been thirty
charges of violations of the law
presented to us, all of which we
have diligently inquired into.
We have examined a great
number of witnesses, and re-
turn herewith indictments in
such cases we deem proper,
there being 11 indictments for
felonies and 19 for misdemean-
ors.

We have had considerable
trouble in getting witnesses to
attend promptly, and then in
some cases witnesses seem in-
timidated or afraid to testify
freely. We think the most of
our good people are law abid-
ing, but there is a criminal el-
ement among us, and in some
quarters we fear that they are
increasing in number. If they
find that the law, abiding el-
ement is careless and neglig-
ent, we may expect them to
continue to increase. We there-
fore urge upon all our good
people not to sit idly by but to
be on hand and be ever re-
ady and willing to give testi-
mony specially charged with
the enforcement of the law
their aid and encouragement.
If all our good people would
do this, crime in our county
would be reduced to a mini-
mum.

The following program was
given:
Reading—Miss Mildred Lee,
Piano—Duet—Misses Nan
Marley and Totie Byrd.
Original Short Story—Miss
Fannie Marsh.
Vocal Solo—Miss Nan Mar-
ley.

Good of the W. H. Y. Club—
Miss Louise Morgan.
After the program the hos-
tess assisted by Miss Kathy
Lee served a salad course and
hot chocolate.

Now that we've put the "cets"
in sweets we propose to put the
"ok" in Chocolates. We ex-
pect to have a nice line of fresh
chocolates for Saturday. Our
own make, real honest-to-good-
ness "Elba Chocolates."

Special for Friday & Saturday
Peanut Butter, Pecan Caramel,
Butter Scotch and Spearmint
Kisses, 30c per lb. Guaranteed
not to stick to tooth or paper.

ELBA CANDY KITCHEN
Next door to White & Co.

**7 CAKES EXPORT SOAP
FOR 25c.**
MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

(Continued on last page.)

VALUABLE PRIZES TO BE GIVEN TO FAIR VISI- TORS AT ELBA.

To stimulate attendance at
Elba's second pig, poultry and
school fair here today and to-
morrow, six of Elba's business
houses are giving away valu-
able premiums, to those who are
in attendance.

Three of the prizes are cash
prizes, and the other three are
valuable articles of merchandise
and these are being given with-
out any condition, other than
attendance at the fair. Certifi-
cates have already been mailed
out which are self-explanatory.
This advertising scheme
proved quite popular last year,
and is being repeated this year.
The firms who have a part in
this project are running an ad-
vertisement in today's paper welcom-
ing the visitors to their stores and
to the fair. Look it up.

MISS LEE ENTER- TAINS W. H. Y. CLUB—

The W. H. Y. Club met Thurs-
day afternoon with Miss Mil-
dred Lee hostess. The living
room was artistically decorated
with Autumn leaves and wick-
or baskets of cyprianthums.
The following program was
given:
Reading—Miss Mildred Lee,
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SURVEY IS BEING MADE ON ROUTE FOR ELBA-OPP HIGHWAY.

Engineers from the State
Highway Department are in
Elba this week surveying the
roadways from Elba to Opp,
preparatory to the establish-
ment of the highway which will
connect Coffee and Covington
counties.

Two or three different routes
will be surveyed, so we are in-
formed, but it is not yet known
just which way the highway
will go. People along the sev-
eral routes are manifesting a
good bit of interest, and no
doubt several routes will have
strong backers. We are glad
it is not our job to decide which
route the highway should take,
but we hope that the matter
can be settled right away and
work started on the project. A
good road is badly needed in
that direction.

PLAY WILL BE PRESENTED AT FAIRVIEW.

The play, "Ye Olde Tyme
Skewl," which was given at
Curtis last Friday, will be pre-
sented at the Fairview School
on next Thursday night, Dec.
17th, at 7:30 o'clock. All who
have seen the play are loud in
their praise of it, and a good
crowd is expected to attend at
Fairview. Adm.—15 and 25c.

4 BIG 10c CAKES PALM- OLIVE SOAP FOR 25c.

MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

JUST RECEIVED—A car of fat cats and Timothy Hay.

Also have Fulghum and Red
Rust Proof Seed oats; if you
want feed of any kind or plant-
ing seed, see me at once.
W. B. Rainer, Elba Ala.

Mr. Carlton Larkins has been
spending a few days this week
with his mother of Elba. He
will leave Sunday for Pensa-
cola where he will make his
home, having been transferred to
the Naval Hospital there.

REDUCTIONS ON LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR.

MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

Mr. Leo Lane, of Cowarts
spent the week end with his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F.
Lane in Elba.

Freezing lowers the quality
of milk.

JUDGE BEDSOLE RECEIVES CARD OF THANKS FROM COURT ATTACHES.

Judge T. J. Bedsole, who pre-
sided over Circuit Court here
last week and the week before
was the recipient of a most cor-
dial card of thanks at the ad-
journment of court last week.
This card of thanks was signed
by county and court officials,
jurors serving during the week,
and the lawyers present.

Judge Bedsole is presiding
judge in the First Judicial Cir-
cuit and lives at Grove Hill.
During his two weeks stay here
he made many friends, by his
very cordial manner, and dis-
patched much business during
the court sessions. Jurors and
court officials were quite eager
to sign the card of thanks
which was presented to the
Judge. Following is the text
of the card:

"Appreciating in a high de-
gree the uniform courtesy, abi-
lity, fairness and dispatch with
which you have conducted the
affairs of the Circuit Court in
this division of Coffee County,
as well as the inconvenience oc-
casioned by your coming from
a distance to perform a public
duty and a patriotic service, the
undersigned court and county
officials, and jurors for this
week desire to express our sin-
cere, hearty and cordial thank-
s for the manner in which you
have handled our civil and
criminal dockets. Our spirit
of cooperation with you in this
work has not been forced nor
perfunctory, but has been free
and voluntary, being inspired
with a desire to follow your ex-
ample and do our part as best
we could, in doing our part
wisely, justly and courageously
in the performance of our
several duties. We thank you,
will remember you officially
with pleasure, and we will be
glad to have you again in our
County (one of the best in the
State), and we assure you of a
cordial welcome at any time
you are again assigned to us.
In the expression of the fore-
going, it is but fair to say that
it is the expression of the citi-
zenship which we represent,
and assure you of our best
wishes at all times, wherever
you may be."

Freezing lowers the quality
of milk.

Addition to Court House At Elba Recommended In Grand Jury Report

The Clipper carries in an-
other column today the full re-
port of the grand jury at the
recent term of Circuit Court.
One recommendation of the
jury was that the present court
house is inadequate for the
transaction of the county's busi-
ness, and for the proper func-
tioning of the courts of the
county.

The jury recommended that
the Commissioners Court take
steps at once for the enlarge-
ment of the building, suggest-
ing that two wings or annexes
be added one to the North and
another to the South. This
would give an abundance of
room for not only the county
officials some of whom are very
much crowded in their present
quarters, but would also give
more room for the grand jury,
petty jurors, witness rooms, and
for additional and more ade-
quate sanitary connections.

County officials have long
realized the need for a larger
building at Elba. Judge Cam-
meyer in conversation with a
Clipper representative stated
that he was heartily in favor of
enlarging the building, but the
matter had not yet been
brought to the attention of the
commissioners court. It is very
probable that the matter will
be brought up at the term of
commissioners court which con-
venes next Monday.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our
thanks and appreciation to the
good people of Elba and terri-
tory for their kindness and
sympathy extended us in the
illness and death of our daugh-
ter and sister Mae. We are
grateful also for the beautiful
floral offerings presented by
the many friends.
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. English
and children.

Misses Viola Byrd and Lula
Mae Vaughn spent Saturday in
Dothan.

**24th SUNSET FLOUR SELF
RISING \$1.15**
MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

Miss Henrietta Coston spent
last week end in Arifton, the
guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. S.
Rainer.

Mrs. Murphree Chestnut, of
Montgomery returned home
Sunday after several days in
to her aunt, Mrs. W. M. Tucker
of Elba.

**8 SPOOLS J. & P. COATS
THRIFT 25c.**
MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cooper,
Messames J. E. Hudson, Willie
Mitchell and J. H. Amos spent
Monday in Montgomery. Mr.
Cooper went from Montgomery
to Rochester N. Y. to look after
business affairs.

REDUCTION ON SWEAT- ERS.

MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

The beautiful new home of
Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix Jeter on
Simmons St. is nearing com-
pletion. This is one of the most
attractive homes in our city
and its interior is especially
beautiful.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our dear
friends for their kindness to us
during the death and burial of
our dear mother and compan-
ion. We also want to thank
the good people for their many
floral offerings. All these kind
deeds will ever be remembered
by us.
J. D. Hornsby and children.

"It pays to take care of the
home orchard"

POOR ORIGINAL